

CITY OF MARLIN 101 Fortune St. Marlin, TX 76661 (254) 883-1450

# **Police Sergeant Opening**

### Description

Police Sergeant: Under the general direction of the Chief of Police, will directly supervises and coordinates the daily operational activities of a patrol shift. Act in a command role in the absence of the Police Chief, instruct subordinate officers in patrol methods, code of criminal procedure, and report writing. Provides direction and assumes command of major incidents. The position is accountable for the effective operation and supervision of assigned staff. The selected individual must have successfully completed the basic police academy, pass the TCOLE exam, and must satisfactorily complete a basic reading and writing exam and review board. The sergeant becomes a non-probationary supervisor upon completion of six months of service to the Marlin community. This is a full-time position that is focused on police education, enforcement, and Community Oriented Policing. The City offers excellent benefits including paid holidays, vacation/sick leave, health, dental, life, disability insurance, and TMRS retirement. Pay rate of \$21.84 hr., uniforms and equipment provided.

## **EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE:**

5 years' experience as a police officer with department of comparable or larger size; or 3 years' experience as a police supervisor with department of comparable or larger size. Intermediate Texas Peace Officer License from the Texas Commission on Law Enforcement (TCOLE)

#### LICENSES AND CERTIFICATES:

Valid Class C Texas drivers' license
Education - High School Diploma or
GED with 12 hours credit in core subjects from an accredited college or university with a minimum 2.0
GPA on a 4.0 scale
TCOLE Intermediate Peace officer License
An Honorable Discharge from the US Military active duty. (If applicable)

## PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS INCLUDE:

Associate's Degree in Criminal Justice or related field TCOLE Advanced Peace Officer License TCOLE Police Instructor License

# OTHER REQUIREMENTS:

Must be willing to commit to 3 years of service to the MPD. Applicants must meet all licensing standards for appointment as a peace officer in the State of Texas. Candidates must undergo a thorough background investigation and pass an interview, a medical exam, drug screening and psychological exam. Applications accepted until: September 30, 2019 or until filled.

Applications forms are on the city website at www.marlintx.net or may be picked up at: MPD HQ. 101 fortune St., Marlin, TX 76661